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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

GAU: UNASSIGNED IN RE APPLICATION OF: Eric J. STRANG, et al. **EXAMINER: UNASSIGNED** SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION FILED: **HEREWITH** FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ACTIVE TEMPERATURE CONTROL OF SUSCEPTORS REQUEST FOR PRIORITY COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313 SIR: Full benefit of the filing date of International Application PCT No. PCT/US02/03403, filed 02/25/02, is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §120. Full benefit of the filing date(s) of U.S. Provisional Application(s) is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. Application No. **Date Filed** §119(e): 60/272453 March 2, 2001 ☐ Applicants claim any right to priority from any earlier filed applications to which they may be entitled pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119, as noted below. In the matter of the above-identified application for patent, notice is hereby given that the applicants claim as priority: APPLICATION NUMBER MONTH/DAY/YEAR **COUNTRY** Certified copies of the corresponding Convention Application(s) are submitted herewith □ will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee were filed in prior application Serial No. filed were submitted to the International Bureau in PCT Application Number Receipt of the certified copies by the International Bureau in a timely manner under PCT Rule 17.1(a) has been acknowledged as evidenced by the attached PCT/IB/304. ☐ (A) Application Serial No.(s) were filed in prior application Serial No. filed ; and ☐ (B) Application Serial No.(s) are submitted herewith ☐ will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee Respectfully Submitted, OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MATER & NEUSTADE, P.C. Gregory J. Maier Registration No. 25,599

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